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WHAT FREEZE?

The late freeze as a topic of conversation has just about passed into the limbo and no longer ranks as a main subject. Nothing is ever quite as bad as at first thought to be, no matter what the catastrophe may be in the event it is one. For a number of days immediately following the freeze catastrophe seemed to be the right word to express the loss to the growers and others. However, after the passage of a few days it was discovered that those who had been and were worried on a close margin of capital. In the instances where their crops were frozen in the fields it spells hardship as a percentage of these had not the capital with which to go ahead and put another planting in the ground.

In the main however, Mr. Average Planter looked over matters, figured the percentage of loss, stiffened up his backbone and went back into the field to get ready for another harvest day. This class of individual cannot and never will be whipped. It is such breed that have built empires, changed boundary lines and made this country what it is today. They cannot be licked.

And, to them will go the reward in the long run. Beyond a doubt those who took it standing up and started all over again to do the best they can profit on this very crop they just finished putting in the ground.

The crop as it stood in the fields immediately preceding the freeze was easily one of the heaviest ever planted in this section of the State. That meant had the crop gone on the market (a plucked one) without damage that in all probability low prices on their products would obtain on the market. Now this freeze that looked so terrible for a day or two, has turned out to be a blessing in disguise after all for it

means that with a much lesser acreage put out, and still in time to catch the early markets, that much better prices will result to he who had that which was necessary to go ahead and do the best he can.

As mentioned above salvage to crops has been greater than at first contemplated, nor do we speak of isolated cases as it is becoming quite a common now to hear that So and So managed to save quite a goodly part of his crop and that now he is getting \$5.00 to \$8.00 per hamper for them, which he would have a few days back been delighted to get \$1.50. All in all we are not on a bad spot at all and in the main due to those who had what it takes and would not acknowledge they were whipped for the credit. And this section seems to be full of them. — Redland District News, Homestead.

HONEY FOR WHAT AILS YOU

You do not have to be an oldster to recall the time when if you did not eat a certain amount of spinach every week you were on the downward health march. Now that's all but an exploded theory. Today honey is recommended by physicians for energy, sore throats, as a pick-up, a wholesome sweet for the children, athletes and the aged.

This writer noted the above list, and many more, contained in a booklet we read the other day. There wasn't a thing we needed, honey for that we could think of after careful self analysis except the point of its being "a natural builder." We surely could use some of this to good advantage — so its honey for us from now on. — Lake Wales Highlander.

FEWER WORDS—MORE SENSE

Everybody would be much better off if lawyers, drawing up legal documents, would eliminate 75 per cent of the words. That's not the radical crack-pot recommendation of some disgruntled layman, who's just had a summons slapped on his forehead. The idea comes from Charles A. Beardsley, president of the American Bar Association.

A lot of legal documents don't make sense either, not even to the lawyers who draft them. They include a lot of phrases and words that have accumulated an aura of tradition and have lost all meaning.

People who run into legal papers sometimes in their lives—and most folks do—would be happier if they could read the documents. Mr. Beardsley would have attorneys prepare papers so they can be read intelligently. They can be just as legal, if they are less legalistic. — Palm Beach Post.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

By Russell Kay.

You've probably heard of, and maybe experienced, "the morning after the night before," but I'm telling you it's a more rest cure compared to the "day after the night before."

While I may sit around with my head on the desk or loaf lazily in a faint boat in the morning, I have to make up for it at his season of the year with the Florida Orange Festival, the Annual Press Breakfast, and the Florida State Fair all piled on top of each other.

And when the curtain goes down on the "Big Show" Saturday night with the tension and pressure relieved, I wake up the next morning feeling like a deep sea diver with "bends."

I don't believe there was ever a time in the history of the Florida Fair when it has meant so much to the state, coming as it did on the heels of one of the most disastrous cold spells we have ever experienced.

With newspaper headlines heralding the loss of millions of dollars worth of fruit and vegetables in three days before the Fair was scheduled to open, a lot of folks figured we had to call the whole thing off.

But Fair officials, county agents and home demonstration agents are resourceful and facing the situation courageously they set about the task of making more complete and comprehensive displays than ever before. Working tirelessly, they combed their counties for necessary materials, farmers and growers cooperated and from all sections came truck loads of the finest specimens of the choicest fruits and vegetables.

Most amazing was the Flower Show. Occupying more space than ever before, it presented a display of flowering shrubs and plants with even the most tender and delicate varieties represented.

During the 15-day period, I saw thousands of tourists stand in awe and amazement at the massive county agents' displays of fruit and vegetables, or express their surprise and joy at the gorgeous floral display. They just couldn't believe their eyes. Everywhere they had seen withered evidence of frost damage and

Assistance Given 719 County People

Jacksville, Fla., Feb. 15.—Florida public assistance checks for January totaled \$30,631, according to announcement here today from the state office of the State Welfare Board. As the 2,631 families receiving ADC included 9,934 dependent children, 44,004 individuals actually directly benefited through the distribution of grants.

In the Old Age Assistance group, 24,987 persons received \$109,439. In the Aid to Dependent Children group, 2,631 families received \$96,771; in the Aid to the Blind category, 2,133 persons received \$25,540.

A breakdown by counties revealed that in Palm Beach County recipients and amounts were as follows: OAA 719 and \$9,181.00; ADC 85 (237 children) and \$2,722.00; AB 11 and \$865.00. Total of \$12,611.00 was paid 855 recipients.

State Welfare Commissioner C. C. Colington stated that state-federal cash benefits now exceed \$8,990,000 per year, and that this is supplemented by the distribution of surplus commodities to 59,609 cases representing 213,492 persons.

IN MEMORY OF HENRY LOVETT

One year has passed since we have seen The smiles you often gave But time nor tide Can change the love We have into this day.

You left us at that Sunday bright You seemed so bright and gay With all your youth You tried to fight The waters of the bay.

It is so hard to give you up So we just make believe That you have gone away alone To sail upon the sea. And some day we shall sail to you We cannot wait for you when For you will be the skipper Nor who will be the mate.

But of one thing you may be sure Our cargo's filled with love So bon voyage, pleasant dreams Until we hear your voice. And as we answer one by one And vote your true obligation of citizenship in this the greatest of all democracies.

AT THE CHURCHES

CANAL POINT BAPTIST CHURCH

S. B. Jordan, Pastor

Sunday School meets at 10:00 o'clock.

Morning Worship begins at 11 o'clock.

The pastor will preach on subject "Our Blessings."

Baptist Training Union meets at 6:30 Sunday evening.

Evening Worship begins at 7:30.

The pastor will preach subject "Our Labors."

Mid-week prayer service is held each Wednesday evening at 7:30.

CANAL POINT COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. M. O. Shawson, Pastor

Church School 10:00.

Morning Worship at 11:00.

Young People's Service 6:30 p. m.

Evening Worship 7:30.

Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Midweek Prayer Service.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

Belle Glade, Fla.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.

Sunday Service 11:00 a. m.

Wednesday evening meeting at 8:00.

This meeting includes testimonies of Christian Science healing.

Reading room open Monday 7-9 p. m. and Friday 3-5 p. m., in the rear of the Church edifice.

The public is cordially invited to attend these services and visit the reading room.

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Pahokee

Mass and sermon Sunday 10:30 a. m., except last Sunday of month when services start at 8 a. m.

Holy Name Sunday every second Sunday.

Altar Society meets last Wednesday of month.

Parish study club second Wednesday at Pahokee and last Wednesday at Belle Glade.

Holy Day services 9:30 a. m.

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Pahokee, Florida

Spencer F. Beard, Pastor

Sunday school, all departments, 9:45.

Sunday morning worship, 11 o'clock.

Baptist Training Union, Sunday, 9:15 p. m.

Evening Worship, 7:30 p. m.

Mid-week Prayer services Wednesday, 8:00 p. m.

A welcome is extended to all.

COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH

Belle Glade, Fla.

O. J. Jackson, Pastor

Church School 10:00 a. m.

Morning worship 11:00.

Epworth League 7:30 p. m.

Ladies Aid 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. Fred L. Martin, Pastor

Church school 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship 11:00 a. m.

Young people service 6:45 p. m.

Intermediates service 6:45 p. m.

Evening worship 7:30 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Lake Harbor COMMUNITY CHURCH

Rev. W. S. Hancock, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.

Junior Christian Endeavor 6:00 p. m.

Senior Christian Endeavor 7:15 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Pahokee

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship, 11 a. m.

Junior society, 7 p. m.

Young people's meeting, 7:30 p. m.

Mid-week prayer meeting Thursday, 8 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Belle Glade, Florida

Wm. Marion Sentinel, Pastor.

10 a. m.—Sunday school, H. E. Jones, superintendent.

11 a. m.—Morning sermon by the pastor.

6:30 p. m.—Baptist Training Union.

7:30 p. m.—Evening sermon by the pastor.

The public is cordially invited.

L. D. S. SUNDAY SCHOOL

(South Bay)

10 a. m. Sunday school, Alevin Harding, superintendent.

8:00 p. m. Evening service.

Former Congressmen Dave Shultz and former Congressman Mark Wilcox, both unsuccessful candidates against Senator Pepper in 1938 campaign, have joined forces in arranging special programs for the Florida Congress of Democracy celebration to be held on Washington's Birthday, Feb. 22.

This celebration is especially designed to instill into the minds of all our citizens the true obligations of citizenship in this the greatest of all democracies.

Fraser Advocates \$3 Automobile Tag

St. Augustine, Feb. 15.—Three dollar license tags for all pleasure cars were advocated by Walter B. Fraser, candidate for governor, in a speech to a large home-town crowd here today.

Mr. Fraser, characterized as "a business man with a business plan," pledged that he will sponsor repeal of the gross receipts tax, oppose a sales or transfer tax, abolish "all arbitrary price-fixing boards," lift the gasoline tax from owners of motor boats, "insure they don't use the roads," and propose the most liberal pensions possible for the aged.

He said he would seek to establish a \$5,000,000 emergency fund, to be disbursed by the governor and his cabinet, to relieve victims of crop freezes, storms, hurricanes, floods, fires, droughts and other disasters.

His plan for accomplishing these reforms, Mr. Fraser said, will be to take a prominent part in the First Annual National Roundup, a

explicated in detail in his campaign speeches, which he plans to start about the middle of March.

Convoys who competed at the Madison Square Garden national championship event last fall, will take a prominent part in the First Annual National Roundup, a

Annual National Roundup, a and Rodeo at Kinsman, which began Monday and will continue through February 22. Seating facilities have been provided for 7,500 persons by the Cow Capital Roundup Company of which P. E. Williams is president.

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number of featured Latin entertainers now performing in New York cabarets have also been engaged for this colorful affair.

Notice To Taxpayers

As required by Section 915 of the Compiled General Laws of Florida, I will be at the following places on the dates set opposite each, for the purpose of receiving TAX RETURNS for the year 1939, both for REAL ESTATE and for TANGIBLE and INTANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Application blanks for the HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION may be secured from me, or filed with me at these times.

| Precinct No. | Location | Date | Time | Place |
|-------------------|----------|-----------------|----------------------------|---------------|
| 36 Belle Glade | | Feb'y 12th 1940 | 10:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m. | Town Hall |
| 41 Shawano | | Feb'y 12th 1940 | 1:30 to 2:00 p. m. | Commissionary |
| 37 Chosen | | Feb'y 12th 1940 | 2:30 to 3:00 p. m. | Post Office |
| 2 Lake Park | | Feb'y 12th 1940 | 10:00 to 11:30 a. m. | Town Hall |
| 1 Jupiter | | Feb'y 13th 1940 | 2:00 to 2:50 p. m. | Post Office |
| 32 Military Trail | | Feb'y 14th 1940 | 9:30 to 10:00 a. m. | Canal Bridge |
| 21 Westgate | | Feb'y 14th 1940 | 11:00 to 11:20 a. m. | Auditorium |
| 3 Riviera | | Feb'y 14th 1940 | 2:00 to 3:00 p. m. | Town Hall |
| 23 Loxahatchee | | Feb'y 15th 1940 | 9:30 to 10:00 a. m. | Post Office |
| 40 Lake Harbor | | Feb'y 15th 1940 | 11:00 to 11:20 a. m. | Post Office |
| 30 South Bay | | Feb'y 15th 1940 | 1:30 to 2:00 p. m. | Post Office |
| 41 W. Palm Beach | | Feb'y 16th 1940 | 10:00 a. m. to 3 p. m. | County House |
| 36 Pahokee | | Feb'y 16th 1940 | 10:30 a. m. to 2 p. m. | Town Hall |
| 25 Canal Point | | Feb'y 16th 1940 | 2:30 to 3:00 p. m. | Post Office |
| 24 Lantana | | Feb'y 20th 1940 | 10:00 to 10:30 a. m. | City Hall |
| 33 Delray Beach | | Feb'y 20th 1940 | 11:00 a. m. to 2 p. m. | City Hall |
| 42 Greenacres | | Feb'y 21st 1940 | 10:00 to 10:30 a. m. | Town Hall |
| 40 Lake Worth | | Feb'y 21st 1940 | 11:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m. | Town Hall |
| 25 Boynton | | Feb'y 22nd 1940 | 10:00 to 11:00 a. m. | Town Hall |
| 19 Palm Beach | | Feb'y 23rd 1940 | 2:00 to 4:00 p. m. | Town Hall |
| 20 Boca Raton | | Feb'y 24th 1940 | 10:00 to 11:00 a. m. | Town Hall |

or. Returns can be filed at my office at the Court House at any time prior to April 1st, 1940.

I respectfully urge upon all taxpayers to meet me at my different appointments and make their returns as provided by Sec. 917 of the Compiled General Laws of Florida and Chapter 15789 of the 1939 General Acts.

Blanks for making returns of both REAL ESTATE and TANGIBLE and INTANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY, and for the HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION may be secured from me at those times, or will be mailed to taxpayers upon request therefor.

James M. Owens, Jr.

County Assessor of Taxes,
Palm Beach County, Florida

Candidates Qualify For State Offices, Make Preparations For Stump Tours

More Expected To Throw
In Their Hats Before
March 23

Tallahassee, Feb. 15.—Florida's 1939 political campaign may become a three-ring show in public interest with vigorous contests for governor, United States senator and delegates to the democratic national convention. Eleven candidates have announced for governor, seven for senator, and there may be dozens in the race for Florida's 18 seats at the national convention.

There will be about 500,000 votes in the democratic primaries on May 7 and May 28. Registration books now are open. In 1933, there were 325,000 registered voters.

President Roosevelt's unknown third term attitude, Vice President Garner's announced presidential ambitions, and the candidacies of Paul W. McNutt and others for the nomination will offer a personality race for the delegate race.

The candidates already have qualified here for the four months at the national convention. They are R. C. Hall of Miami, John H. Doss of Lake City, W. Field of Miami, Harry M. Birch of Tallahassee, Robert Hays Gove of Fort Lauderdale, Leo P. Kitchen of Jacksonville, Lewis W. Petteway of Tallahassee and Harry W. Zander of Fort Meade. One woman, Paula Copeland of Everglades, has qualified. One man and one woman delegate will be selected from each congressional district.

In the governor's race, seven candidates have qualified with Secretary of State Gray. They are, in the order in which they paid the fees, Walter Francis of

St. Augustine, B. F. Paty of West Palm Beach, Spensard L. Holland of Bartow, Burton Schoepf of Tampa, Francis P. Whitehair of Deland, and the Rev. James Barbee of Jacksonville.

U. S. Senator Charles O. Andrews, seeking re-election, was the first to qualify in his race. Gov. Fred P. Cone has qualified to oppose Andrews. Other announced candidates have not paid the fees.

Qualifying time will close on March 23, instead of March 22 as originally announced. Attorney General George Cooper Gibbs said the law requiring candidates to qualify 45 days before the primary included the primary date. Qualifying fees will be received by Secretary of State Gray until midnight of Saturday, March 23.

Three candidates have qualified for a democratic nomination as attorney general to succeed George Cooper Gibbs who will not run. They are E. P. Martin of Palm City, J. Tom Watson of Tampa, and R. D. Dannel of West Palm Beach.

Mayor G. Foster of Maitland has qualified to make the race against Commissioner J. M. Lee, who will run for re-election. J. Edwin Larson of Jacksonville has qualified for treasurer, and Nathan Mayo has qualified for agriculture as commissioner of agriculture.

Secretary of State Robert A. Gray and Colin English, superintendent of education, will run for re-election. No opponent has announced against Mayo, Gray or English.

The government might be satisfactory to everybody if there wasn't a limit to the number of public offices.

Piscatorial Pastime

Since the freeze the bass have been biting unusually good on Lake Okechobee. Several nice strikes have been brought in by local fishermen. P. M. Cate and Louie Lee seem to be among the best when it comes to landing a string of bass in the big Lake. Every time they go fishing they return with the limit of black bass. And, we're told that they bring in only the biggest ones—throwing back the little fellows.

V. C. Denton, Pahokee hardware merchant, is starting a little business on spare time that may grow into a paying enterprise. He has built three boats and has them for rent to those who would outwit the members of the fishy tribe. The boats are located near the culvert just across the dike to the Channel, Ferns pump station. He has them in excellent condition for rent. All that is necessary to rent one is to pay Denton's store—pay the rental—secure the key—and you're ready to go. To us it looks like a little sideline that could be built into a thriving and paying business.

Some of the fellows like salt water fishing best. Bud Wooten, C. C. Ginn, Zeddie Arden Gray and V. C. Denton made a trip to Salerno last Friday after being told that fishing on Lake Okechobee the boys forget about the tides of the ocean. They left their boat for an hour while they packed their gear. Upon their return they found that the tide had come in and filled their boat. After a thirty minutes of hard work they had the boat bailed out and ready for operation.

Ray Hawk, Frank O'Connell and Oscar Chastain went to Salerno during the week and caught 100 blues. They had a little difficulty with the rough sea but say that the trip was well worth the time and effort.

V. C. Denton and son Vance were guests of the Gladden Paint company on a deep sea fishing trip Sunday. The party caught plenty of kings, bonito and hooked one sailfish—but he got away.

Jim McClure, proprietor of the Western Auto Associate store, says there have been several nice bass entered in his fishing contest. The contest started the first of January and runs until the closed bass season goes into effect. He is offering three dandy prizes for first, second and third place. So, my fisherman friend, if you're interested in a lot of nice tackle—without charge—why not enter the contest today. It costs nothing to enter.

R. K. Harris Home From Hospital

Ex-Mayor R. K. Harris, who spent some 40 days in the Good Samaritan Hospital at West Palm Beach, and underwent two operations, is now at his home in Belle Glade. He is showing some improvement but it will be considerable time before he can resume business activities.

| WEATHER | | | | |
|---|------|------|---------|--|
| Temperature and rainfall at Canal Point, Fla., for the week ending February 11, 1940. | | | | |
| Date | Max. | Min. | Rain | |
| Feb. 5 | 78 | 58 | | |
| Feb. 6 | 84 | 52 | | |
| Feb. 7 | 71 | 56 | 1.13 | |
| Feb. 8 | 77 | 42 | | |
| Feb. 9 | 79 | 63 | | |
| Feb. 10 | 86 | 63 | | |
| Feb. 11 | 71 | 47 | | |
| Average | 78 | 50 | T. 1.13 | |
| Total rainfall since January 1, 1940 | | | 3.35 | |

WANT ADS

BATE—In a word, The minimum, strictly cash in advance—can or stamp.

FOR SALE: 10 acres good farm land in Section 23 Long Beach Colony, \$100.00 per acre cash. C. A. Bailey, Pahokee.

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FOR SALE—CHEAP: Five room house and lot 5x150 north of Canal Point. Also 15 acres muck land nearby. C. A. Bailey, Pahokee, Fla.

FOR RENT: Office space. See Mrs. Sartoris, Lake Okechobee Insurance Agency, Canal Point.

1931 MODEL A Ford for sale. It's a coupe and in excellent shape considering the age. Tires are in good shape. Motor runs exceptionally well. For quick sale will take a nominal sum in cash. See Bob Lewis at The Everglades News office in Canal Point.

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FOR RENT: Two bedroom house, modern, unfurnished, in Pahokee. Call Arthur Wells Lumber Company, Pahokee.

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Community Happenings IN BELLE GLADE

Social And Personal . . . Fraternal And Civic Clubs

Mrs. Louise Dalton entertained the Tuesday afternoon bridge club at the home of Mrs. T. W. Knight this week. Two tables were in play with Mrs. W. H. Buck winning high score, Mrs. W. H. Buck second, and Mrs. William Buck, consolation. Others playing were: Mrs. Charles E. Maynard, Mrs. Harold Elsbury, Mrs. Ois McWhorter, and Mrs. Brooks Spann. The club meets next week at the home of Mrs. Elsbury in the Holloway subdivision.

Mrs. Hubert Tully entertained the Tuesday night bridge club at her home in the Walker Evans subdivision Tuesday evening. Three tables were in play with Mrs. I. E. Hamilton winning high score, Mrs. Tillery second, and Mrs. Rex Eickens third. Refreshments of ice cream and cake

were served. Others playing were Mrs. E. Q. Waddell, Mrs. Shelly Evans, Mrs. William P. Hill, Mrs. Charles E. Maynard, Mrs. Ralph Freeman, Mrs. Robert Bass, Mrs. Cliff Livingston. Guests were Mrs. L. L. Price and Mrs. W. W. Weeks. The club meets next week at the home of Mrs. Bass.

Mrs. J. O. Darden has returned from North Carolina where she visited relatives who were ill.

Mrs. William P. Hill and Mrs. Charles E. Maynard spent Monday in Miami. They were accompanied there by Mrs. Colinda Casey, Mrs. E. J. Steve, and Mrs. M. A. Hill who have been visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Green have gone to Hawthorne because of the illness of relatives there.

Rev. and Mrs. J. O. Jameson spent Saturday visiting relatives in Walesboro.

Mrs. J. O. Ellis is ill at her home.

Henry Bridge, Tallahassee, and John McBrook, Elberton, Ga., are here visiting Mr. Bridge's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Shelly Connell.

Miss Beryle Thomas of Pahokee was a guest of Mary Jameson last week.

Mrs. Wilhelmina Creter, and Ben Turner of Danbury, Conn., left Tuesday for Port Myers after a visit with friends here.

Alvin Schlechter of St. Louis, Mo., is here visiting his sister and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schlechter.

Registration books are now open at the office of Justice of Peace G. A. Hubbell. Every voter in Palm Beach county is required to register in the new books in

order to qualify for the next March 4. Everyone is urged to register while the books are here.

Troop One of the Belle Glade Girl Scouts gave a dinner Monday night at the Community Methodist Church, instead of the regular afternoon meeting. The menu was planned, cooked and served by the Scouts in order that they might pass certain parts of their Cooties Badge. Mrs. L. W. Bartlett and Miss Betty Russell supervised the meal. Those who attended and took part were: Barbara Tidwell, Beverly Lutz, Doty Rutledge, Christine Taylor, Hazel Altman, Lois Tidwell, Betty Ann Hill, Florence Boyd, Norman Weeks, Norma McCurdy, Florida Zadanay, and Emily Bregger.

Cross Penguins With Leghorns

Says Don McLeod in the *Apalachicola Times*: "After this winter an accomplished and conscientious bar is needed in every town in Florida to answer all inquiries of strangers concerning the climate. Herbert Brown, East Point poultry and egg man, has ordered from Admiral Byrd some South Pole penguins to cross with his white leghorns so their feathers won't freeze off."

MANAGE SCHOEPF CAMPAIGN

Tampa, Feb. 15. (FNS).—W. U. Montgomery of Lakeland, widely known retired business man, will manage Burton Schoepf's campaign for Governor. Schoepf announced this week. Montgomery became active in Schoepf's state headquarters here within the next few days.

Singing Groups To Meet 4th Sunday

The Palm Beach County Singing convention will meet at the high school auditorium in West Palm Beach on the fourth Sunday—February 25—it was announced this week by officials of the organization. All members of the group are urged to be in attendance. There will be more than a dozen different quartets participating in the singing that afternoon. The famous Stamp Quartet of Dallas, Texas, will be one of the outstanding features of the day.

A good way to draw a crowd is to advertise that the show is fun for children.

Third District Race For Congress Sure To Bring Fireworks

Four Outstanding Men Offer For Millard Caldwell's Job

The race for congress in the third Florida district is going to be one of the most interesting political battles in the state between now and primary election time. Congressman Millard Caldwell has announced he will not seek re-election and four prominent men in the district have announced their candidacy for the job.

Robert F. Sikes, editor and publisher of the *Ocala News-Journal* at Crestview, has tossed his hat into the ring and is beating the bushes in search of votes. Bob, as he is popularly known in state newspaper circles, is a vote-getter and able orator. He served in the 1937 and 1939 sessions of the state legislature and is no novice in this game called politics.

Parkhill May, former representative of Monticello, who waged an unsuccessful race against Caldwell two years ago, is another entrant. Parkhill is a likable fellow and has a wide circle of friends who will be boosting his candidacy. He was one of the right-hand men of Governor Cone in the 1937 session of the legislature.

G. Pierce Wood, member of the lower house for many years and speaker during the 1939 session, is another candidate. Pierce is an ardent campaigner and has thousands of friends in the district where he is seeking election. His ability as an orator is outstanding and voters of the third district are insured an interesting campaign since his announcement.

Latest to announce his candidacy is Senator D. Stuart Gillis of DeFuniak Springs. He has had many years' experience in the state senate and served as president of that body in 1937. He waged an unsuccessful campaign for supreme court justice two years ago. He is widely known and respected in the west Florida district. An able speaker and an outstanding legislator, Mr. Gillis will be heard from when the ballots are tallied.

COLD KILLS BUGS

Scientists state that the cold weather has been the means of killing off many of the insect pests, including weevil, flies, and book worms and their larvae. This will be an advantage to the farmers, and better crops for next year, without insect damage.

Pahokee and Canal Point Personals

Methodist Groups Met On Monday

The Missionary societies of the Pahokee Methodist church met at the church parlors, Monday afternoon. During the business session Mrs. Fred Martin resigned as vice-president of the society and Mrs. John M. Gledhill was elected to the office. A social service movement has been started in the church which will be headed by Mrs. B. Elliott as leader. The

talk of the afternoon was given by Mrs. Gledhill, on "The Life of Dr. Young J. Allen a Missionary to China."

Seven new members were added to the circle. New study books have been ordered and will be used for future study. At the next meeting, the Lair Circle will meet with Mrs. Frank Colson and the Simonson circle with Mrs. George Ramsey.

The Gertrude Shirley circle met with Mrs. David Cunningham, Monday night, with a good attendance. Mrs. George McLarty conducted the devotionals and Mrs. Gledhill devotional the first chapter of "Methodism in Action." The hostess served light refreshments.

Garden Club To Meet Tuesday

The Community Garden Club will meet at the home of Mrs. H. J. Anderson Tuesday afternoon, February 20th, at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. J. A. Dulaney will be co-hostess. All members are urged to attend this meeting.

At the joint circle meeting of the Methodist Women's Missionary Society Monday afternoon, reports were made to the president Mrs. D. D. Caudill, by the chairmen of standing committees. Mrs. John M. Gledhill was elected vice president to succeed Mrs. Fred L. Martin, who resigned in order to spend more time at her work as chairman of the Mabel Simonson Circle. Mrs. Cornelia Scott and Mrs. Phillips were new members. Mrs. Gledhill had charge of the Bible study, and Mrs. Martin led devotionals.

The program was devoted to discussion of the life and work of Young J. Allen, Methodist missionary statesman, who spent 47 years in China. Those taking part were: Mrs. Frank Rozelle, Mrs. J. R. York, Mrs. Browning Roach, Mrs. W. H. Willis, Mrs. Cornelia Scott, Mrs. G. B. Ramsey, Mrs. B. S. Waring, Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. G. M. Belf, Mrs. W. G. Smith, Mrs. G. W. Byrd, Mrs. E. G. Kilpatrick, Jr., Mrs. W. H. Lair, Mrs. R. W. Sanders, Mrs. J. A. Dulaney, Mrs. J. M. Gledhill, Mrs. Caudill and Mrs. Martin.

Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Fletcher had as guest over the week end their daughter, Miss Mabel Fletcher, who is teaching school in Okeechobee.

Scouts Francis Bass, Billy Parker, Basil Todd, Jack Cobb and Jack Smith, accompanied Scoutmaster W. H. Willis to a Scout rally held by the Glades branch of the Gulf Stream Council in Belle Glade Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miraglia, Newark, N. J., are guests here of Mrs. Miraglia's brother and sister in law, Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Salvatore.

Mrs. Minnie L. Hughes, Mrs. Bertha Stirling, Mrs. A. J. Ludeman, Mrs. B. J. Barwick, Mrs. Christine Cochran and Mrs. Ora W. Powell were at Jensen fishing recently.

Mrs. John A. Dulaney spent the week end in Lakeland visiting her daughter, Miss Gloria John Dulaney, a student at Southern College.

Van Jackson York is visiting his mother, Mrs. J. R. York this week.

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